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Sir:

The Applicants have received a Notification of Defective Response Under 35 U.S.C. 371 from the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US), dated August 8, 2002, in the above-referenced patent application. The Notification requests that the applicants comply with Sequence Disclosure Requirements under 37 CFR §1.821 due to a damaged disk.

Transmitted herewith is a Submission of Sequence Listing Under 37 CFR 1.821, Submission of Sequence Listing on paper and in computer readable format (disk), an Amendment under 37 CFR 1.825(a) through (c), and a copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements.

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